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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. [REDACTED]

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1. Toward the close of Colonel White's summary he asked the group if they thought this conference should be held more often than once a year. I was one of the majority who voted in favor of getting together twice a year. The enthusiasm expressed at that point pretty well sums up the conference. Like the one before, it was in every respect a huge success.

2. Each session was right on the beam, well presented, interesting and most helpful to me in my daily work. The very first subject on the program could have been a poor, dry start but instead, because of how it was presented, it turned out to be an interesting, useful and educational bit of business.

3. This conference was an improvement over the one held eighteen months ago in that sufficient time was given to each subject. The subjects were more carefully selected too, I think. The agenda was made up of subjects and problems that were facing most of us every day. You will recall that last year some of the talks were confined to organizational charts and functional statements.

4. I assume that in the future such offices as Security, Training, and Communications will be added to the list of participants. Too, I would suggest that DD/P Division and Staff Chiefs be invited to attend some of the sessions. They might find it difficult to spend a full day there; but if they could attend a few meetings, it would be beneficial to all; and they could plainly see how we spend our time down there.

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